

**Easterling, Deborah**

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**From:** Easterling, Deborah  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 04, 2018 11:20 AM  
**To:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Subject:** RE: Rate increase

Dear Luis Gomez,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your Letter of Protest/Comments to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Your Letter of Protest/Comments will be placed in the Protest File of the Docket listed below and on the Commission's Website at [www.psc.sc.gov](http://www.psc.sc.gov).

- Docket No. 2017-292-WS - Application of Carolina Water Service, Incorporated for Approval of an Increase in Its Rates for Water and Sewer Services

A Protestant is an individual objecting on the ground of private or public interest to the approval of an Application, Petition, Motion or other matters which the Commission may have under consideration. A Protestant may offer sworn testimony but cannot cross-examine witnesses offered by other parties.

According to the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, filing a Protest does not make you a Party of Record. A Protestant desiring to become an Intervenor (i.e., a Party of Record) in a proceeding before the Commission may file a Petition for Intervention within the time prescribed by the Commission.

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If we may be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling  
 Executive Assistant  
 803-896-5133

**From:** \_\_\_\_\_ et]  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 04, 2018 10:55 AM  
**To:** PSC\_Contact <Contact@psc.sc.gov>  
**Subject:** Rate increase

Thank you,

Luis Gomez



\* Required Fields

**Letter of Protest**  
**in Docket** 2017 - 292 - WS

Date: \* 01/04/2018

**Protestant Information:**

Name \* Luis Gomez

Mailing Address \* \_\_\_\_\_

City\* Clover

State\* SC

Zip \* 29710

Ph\* \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**1. What is your connection or interest in this case? \* For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)**

Customer of the company.

**2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. \* (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)**

My water bill is already over \$100 a month for a household of 2 people. We live on a fixed income and raising rates again after they just raised them last year will cause us financial hardship.

**3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding , if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? \***

No